

HOUSE BILL 740

By Powers

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49,
relative to dual enrollment courses.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-4-930(f), is amended by deleting the second sentence of the subsection and substituting instead:

Subject to the amounts appropriated by the general assembly and any law relating to a shortfall in funds available for postsecondary financial assistance from the net proceeds of the state lottery, the award for a course taken under a dual enrollment grant shall be five hundred dollars (\$500) for the first four (4) courses taken. For the fifth through eighth courses taken pursuant to subsection (d), the award for a credit hour shall be determined by TSAC and shall not exceed the cost per credit hour of courses taken at community colleges in the state university and community college system.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to students seeking dual enrollment grants for the 2017-2018 academic year and academic years thereafter.